Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities (Population Weighted Cooling Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted cooling degree-days from July 1, 2001, through June 15, 2002, has been 5 percent warmer than last year and 22 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 01/01/02 thru 06/15/02	Previous 01/01/01 thru 06/15/01	Normal 01/01 thru 06/15	Percent Change	
				Current	Current vs. Normal
				vs. Previous	
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	297	283	243	5	22
Cities					
Albuquerque	321	338	180	-5	78
Amarillo	360	268	237	34	52
Asheville	168	147	120	14	40
Atlanta	449	373	344	20	31
Billings	19	54	45	***	***
Boise	113	129	49	***	***
Boston	52	118	48	***	***
Buffalo	40	55	49	***	***
Cheyenne	38	20	9	***	***
Chicago	133	134	104	-1	28
Cincinnati	192	215	164	-11	17
Cleveland	114	106	80	***	***
Columbia,SC	625	572	436	9	43
Denver	126	91	57	***	***
Des Moines	181	172	172	5	5
Detroit	98	104	82	***	***
Farqo	62	45	76	***	***
Hartford	96	86	72	***	***
Houston	1,030	874	722	18	43
Jacksonville	871	711	650	23	34
Kansas City	246	272	220	-10	12
Las Vegas	862	1,032	694	-16	24
Los Angeles	32	60	55	***	***
Memphis	539	581	484	-7	11
Miami	1,840	1,621	1,495	14	23
Milwaukee	1,640	82	1,495	14	23 ***
Minneapolis	101	96	95	***	***
•	693	532	505	30	37
Montgomery New York	171	200	117	-14	46
Oklahoma City	320	422	331	-14 -24	-3
*	230	422 197	180	-24 17	
Omaha Philadalphia			180		28
Philadelphia	237	199		19	71
Phoenix	1,391	1,430	1,092	-3 ***	27
Pittsburgh	134	107	94	***	***
Portland, ME	7	36	0	***	***
Providence	46	97	34		
Raleigh	475	386	239	23	99
Richmond	370	248	215	49	72
St. Louis	330	404	291	-18	13
Salem, OR	17	20	13	***	***
Salt Lake City	125	168	81		***
San Francisco	21	47	1	***	***
Seattle	16	13	6	***	***
Shreveport	718	711	558	1	29
Washington, DC	345	241	245	43	41

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal cooling degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note: The total cooling degree-days for the previous cooling season (January 1, 2001 - December 31, 2001) was 1,275 and the normal is 1,192. A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.